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The Reſolution of the States of the Kingdom of Sweden, made, conſented to, and enacted at the General Aſſembly held at Stockholm, and ended on the 7-17th of July, 1720.

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WE the underwritten Senators and States of the Kingdom of Sweden, Counts, Barons, Biſhops, the Nobility, Clergy, Military Officers, Burghers, and Commons, who have been conveened to the Diet appointed and now brought to a Concluſion, and have appeared both for ourſelves, and provided with full Powers from the Parts of the Kingdom which we repreſent, and from our Fellow Subjects who are left at home, make known by theſe Preſents: That whereas the moſt potent Queen Ulrica Eleonora, Queen of the Swedes, Goths, Vandals, &c. has with the Conſent of the States of the Kingdom, and according to our Reſolution taken laſt Year, found it neceſſary, that Writs ſhould be iſſued for calling a General Aſſembly to be held at this Place, and Notice thereof given to us; we therefore, in moſt dutiful Compliance and Obedience to her Royal Majeſty, and in Conſideration of her faithful Care and Vigilancy for our Native Country, have overcome all Inconveniencies which might have hindered us on this Occaſion, either in general, or every one in particular, and have moſt willingly appeared at the Time and Place appointed; we have heard with Attention, and taken into Conſideration what her Royal Majeſty has cauſed to be laid before us, and to be repreſented to us for our Conſent, unanimous Advice, Aid, and Aſſiſtance; we have directed our Advices to her Royal Majeſty's Satisfaction, as alſo to the Kingdom's Security and Welfare, as the due Aim, conſequently we have united and obliged ourſelves by this unanimous Reſolution relating to all the Matters and Concerns which have been offered on this Occaſion in the Manner following.

I. Whereas her Royal Majeſty has been graciouſly pleaſed in ſeveral of her Letters of the 22d and eſpecially in that of the 29th of February laſt, to propoſe and to make known to us the ſeveral States of the Kingdom, that it was her Royal Majeſty's hearty Deſire to procure to her faithful Subjects the Inhabitants of this Kingdom, a peaceful and quiet Condition, for executing which her Deſign, her Majeſty in the preſent Circumſtances of Time did not find a more uſeful and ſalutary Way, than to cauſe his Royal Highneſs her dearly beloved Conſort to be advanced to the Regal Power and Government; that therefore it was her Royal Majeſty's Intention, with the free Conſent of the States, and certain Conditions to be ſtipulated for her Majeſty's Security for the future, to reſign the Regal Power to her dearly beloved Conſort, to the End that the ruinous State of the Kingdom might be the better retrieved in theſe dreadful and dangerous Times by his Royal Highneſs's known Valour, and powerful Influence. Provided however that the States would give to her Royal Majeſty effectual Aſſurance, that in caſe Almighty God ſhould diſpoſe of his Royal Highneſs's Life before her Royal Majeſty, that then immediately her Royal Majeſty ſhould reſume the Adminiſtration in the ſame manner as her Royal Majeſty had the ſame before by God's Providence and the free Election of the States of the Kingdom, reſigning that Dignity in the mean time to his Royal Highneſs during his Life; we therefore the ſeveral States of the Kingdom muſt needs own, that ſuch our Conſent, Agreement, and Concurrence ſo neceſſary in this Affair, could not have been granted and given, had not our Minds been previouſly moved in a particular Manner, conſidering that we all have hitherto proſpered by her Majeſty's pious, mild, and juſt Government, to our particular Approbation and Satisfaction, and that we have been made ſenſible, how Almighty God during the ſhort Time of her Royal Majeſty's Reign, has graciouſly bleſſed her peaceful Counſels with ſuch Succeſs, that the Number of our many Enemies has been divided, that ſome have been prevailed on to give actual Aſſiſtance, and others have been brought to an Accommodation, and that at the ſame time the Kingdom has obtained a Proſpect of an enſuing entire Recovery, and has been ſtrengthened and fortified with powerful Alliances and Friendſhips.

We ought here to remember with Praiſe the uncommon Steadfaſtneſs which her Royal Majeſty ſhewed, when the Enemy raged with great Fury, by Fire and Deva[illegible]ation, and thereby endeavoured to obtain an unſtable and diſhonourable Peace, dangerous to her Royal Majeſty and the Kingdom; but by God's Aſſiſtance, was made ſenſible, that the Blood of the Swediſh Kings was not to be conſtrained or ſubdued by Force or Power, even in the Royal Female Sex. We alſo acknowledge, with the return of our ſubmiſſive Thanks, that her Royal Majeſty did not lay down the Burthen of the Government, which in that dangerous and weak Condition of the Kingdom, was attended with many Hardſhips and Difficulties, but has graciouſly been pleaſed to propoſe to us an Alteration in the Government, which in theſe dangerous, gloomy, and dreadful Times was judged a proper Means for reſtoring the Kingdom and the Welfare of the Inhabitants. Therefore we have maturely examined and deliberated on this ſalutary Deſign, and have found our Hearts filled with ſo much Reſpect, Eſteem, and Love for his Royal Highneſs's great Qualifications, glorious Valour, and hearty Care, together with his high Inclination towards the Inhabitants, that, notwithſtanding his Royal Highneſs can claim no Right to the Swediſh Crown and Regal Dignity, yet out of a free Will and our own Motion we have conſented to the Reſignation of the Adminiſtration propoſed by her Royal Majeſty, and have readily ſubmitted ourſelves to his Royal Highneſs's prudent Adminiſtration, Clemency, and Goodneſs, and to his valiant Protection.

Therefore and whereas his Royal Highneſs has conformed with the pure Evangelical Doctrine, and at the ſame time promiſed and engaged to perſiſt in it, and to protect and maintain us in it, as alſo to preſerve the Kingdom in its Rights, Laws and Form of Government, the Liberties of the States, as alſo to keep in Force the cuſtomary Prerogatives and Privileges of each State; all this purſuant to his Declaration given to us in Writing and dated the 22d of March of the preſent Year; beſides that her Royal Majeſty has abſolved us of the Obligation of the Oath, by which we were bound to her as our ſole ruling Sovereign, for the Time during which her actual Adminiſtration now begins to ceaſe,

We all the Senators of the Kingdom and States here aſſembled, on our part and on the part of our Fellow Subjects left at home, have made no ſcruple, by unanimous Agreement, and general Conſent to accept and declare his ſaid Royal Highneſs, Frederick Hereditary Prince of Heſſe Caſſel, Prince of Hersfeld, Count of Catzen-Ellebogen, Dietz, Ziegenhain, Nidda, and Schauenbourg, &c. to be the full-aged reigning King of the Swedes, Goths, and Vandals, as alſo of all the Principalities, Countries, and Dominions thereunto belonging, together with the Male Heirs of his Body by this his Conſort her Royal Majeſty the Queen Ulrica Eleanora (to whom God be pleaſed to grant them) to be Succeſſors of the Swediſh Kingdom from Heirs to Heirs, in the Manner as is contained in the Concluſion of the Diet of 1650, and is further ſet forth in our general Union eſtabliſhed and dated the 24th of March this preſent Year.

And becauſe his Royal Majeſty our moſt gracious King and Lord, in the Aſſurance given to us in Writing, and confirmed by his Royal Oath, has firmly engaged, aſſured, and promiſed, that he will govern us as a mild, wiſe, and faithful King, ſo we alſo on our part will behave as faithful, obedient, and lawful Subjects, ſupport all Royal Rights, promote the Welfare and Good of his Royal Majeſty and the Kingdom, and on the other hand diſcover Damage and Ruin, and prevent it to the utmoſt of our Ability. And we will at all Times, ſo as we can anſwer it before God and Men, perform all that his Royal Majeſty ſhall command, and is our Duty to do, and be liege and faithful to his Royal Majeſty.

Almighty God confirm this Work by his Bleſſing, and pour down on his Royal Majeſty the Counſel of his Wiſdom, and the Power of his Spirit, that he may well, long, and happily govern and rule this Kingdom.

[*More of this in our next.*]

Paris,

Paris, Oct. 2. The King's Declaration for eſtabliſhing a Chamber of Juſtice during the Vacation of the Parliament, paſſed the Seals the 29th of September: It is compoſed of ſeveral Counſellours of State and Maſters of Requeſt, without admitting into it any Member of the Parliament. M. d'Armenonville, Secretary of State, is appointed Preſident of this Chamber, which is to be aſſembled in the Great Hall of the Auguſtin Fryars, where the Aſſemblies of the Clergy are uſually held; it is believed that the Advocates of the Parliament will refuſe to plead before this new Judicatory, and that they will be obliged to ſubſtitute in their room thoſe of the Grand Council. The Doctors of the Sorbonne had Yeſterday, being the 1ſt of the Month, their uſual Meeting, at which it was expected the Chancellour would have been preſent, in order to have propoſed the accepting the King's late Declaration upon the Pope's Conſtitution; but great Oppoſition on the Part of the Doctors being apprehended, the Propoſal of that Affair has been put off to ſome other Meeting.

Deal, Sept. 27. There are ſtill in the Downes His Majeſty's Ships Deptford, Salisbury, Guernzey, Rippon, Wincheſter, Enterprize, Succeſs, Biddeford, and Swallow, with the outward bound put back by contrary Winds. Juſt now came in his Majeſty's Ships Panther and Ipſwich from the Weſtward; alſo the Hart Frigate from Virginia.

London, September 28.

Yeſterday South-Sea Stock was 300. Firſt Subſcription 100. Second Subſcription at Par. Third Subſcription 20 per Cent. Diſcount. Bank 200. India 190. African 50. Royal Exchange Aſſurance 60. London Aſſurance 30.

Whereas on Saturday Night the 3d Inſtant, a wicked and malicious Attempt was made to burn down the Working Forge of Mr. John Hillyard at Paddington, by nailing againſt the ſame, Shavings Turpentine and ſuch combuſtible Matter ſtuft into a Stocking and ſetting Fire thereto, having firſt beſmear'd the Boarding of the ſaid Shed with Turpentine, &c. which after ſome ſmall Damage done to the Boards was providentially extinguiſhed, and the Foot of the Stocking and ſome of the ſaid combuſtible Materials found unconſumed: *The Directors of the Hand in Hand Fire-Office* do hereby promiſe a Reward of 10 Guineas to any Perſon who ſhall diſcover the Author of the ſaid Villany, to be paid upon Conviction of the ſame, by their Clerk at their Office on Snow-Hill.

The Committee choſen for the better and more advantagious carrying on the Trade of making Silk and Worſted Stockings and other Goods in Frames, do hereby give Notice to the Perſons poſſeſt of the few Receipts for Monies paid in to the ſaid Society not already brought in, that they bring the ſame to their Hall in Red-croſs-ſtreet, on Thurſday the 6th Day of October next, in order to have Bills of Credit given for their Shares in the Stock in lieu thereof, otherwiſe they will looſe the Benefit of their Subſcriptions. Attendance will be given for that purpoſe from 9 to 12 at Noon, and from 2 to 5 in the Afternoon.

John Thurlby, Secr.

Whereas the GOLDEN ISLANDS (being 4 large ones, beſides ſome ſmaller, to the South of Port-Royal in Carolina, containing upward of One Hundred Thouſand Acres, of the richeſt and cleareſt Lands in America) have been lately aſſigned (by Sir Robert Montgomery, Bart.) to TRUSTEES, for the general Benefit of the Purchaſers of One Thouſand Allotments of the ſaid Lands, and the Profits to ariſe from their Product, by Application of the Purchaſe-Money to their Improvement. The ſaid Truſtees do hereby give Notice, that they have no Occaſion to call in any more of the One Hundred Thouſand Pounds agreed to be paid, than the 25 l. per Cent, already received from the Purchaſers, till after return of their firſt Ships, which will be ready to ſail by the End of October. Reſolving therefore immediately to plant and improve the ſaid Lands, and in good Earneſt to proceed on an Affair which will be not only a Particular, but a National Advantage, (and which has been allow'd to be ſuch, in two ſeveral Reports from the Lords Commiſſioners for Trade and Plantations, and His Majeſty's late Attorney-General,) they do hereby declare, that they will give much better Encouragement than is uſual, to all Carpenters, Joyners, Smiths, Bricklayers, Coopers, and other Artificers; as alſo to Husbandmen, and Labourers, of fair Character, who are deſired to apply, for more particular Satisfaction, to the Truſtees Office, at the great yellow Gates over againſt the Church in Lothbury. N. B. All Advertiſements relating to this Undertaking will be ſigned by

T. Darling, Secretary.

Whereas ſeveral Gentlemen of the County of Derby, and others, have agreed to enter into a Partnerſhip for the effectual carrying on the Lead Mines in the ſaid County, and to raiſe ſuch Sums of Money as ſhall from time to time be neceſſary for that Purpoſe: All Perſons concerned in this Undertaking, are deſired to meet To-morrow and Friday, the 29th and 30th Inſtant, at the Mitre Tavern in Fleet-ſtreet, from 9 to 1, and from 3 to 6, to execute the Deed of Copartnerſhip, and to do ſuch other things as may entitle them to their reſpective Shares.

Not acted theſe Four Years.
By His Majeſty's Company of Comedians.

AT the Theatre Royal in Drury-Lane, To-morrow, being Thurſday, the 29th of September, will be revived a Play call'd, The Comical Revenge; or, Love in a Tub: Written by Sir George Etheridge. N. B. From To-morrow the Company will continue to Act every Day.

A very fine Parcel of White, Mottle, Buff, Lemon, Aſh, Junquil, Baſtard and Grey Canary Birds, Engliſh Nightingals, a very fine Parrot, and Scarlet Nightingal, to be ſold at the Black Lyon in White-Hart-Yard, near Drury-Lane, London.

Loſt the 23d Inſtant, from off the Compter in the Bank, a red plain Pocket-book tied with a red String, directed in the Inſide for Capt. Euſtace Peacock, at his Houſe in Charter-houſe Yard, within it was two Bank Notes, one No. 21. payable to Cha. Dubois, for 54 l. 5 s. 2 d. the other payable to Mr. John Shipman, for 50 l. Number forgot. Two South Sea-Intereſt Notes of 5 l. 5 s. each, payable to Thomas Heath, Eſq; and two Notes of Hand, one from Mr. Shipman, for 147 l. odd Shillings, and the other from Thomas Heath, Eſq; for 149 l. odd Shillings, and ſeveral other Papers, of no uſe to any but the Owner. If offered in Payment, or otherwiſe, pray ſtop them, and give Notice to the ſaid Captain Peacock, at his Houſe in Charter-houſe Yard, or at the Bar of the Jeruſalem Coffee-houſe in Exchange Alley, and you ſhall have 10 Guineas Reward for the whole, or in proportion for any Part thereof, and no Queſtions ask'd, Payment being ſtopt.

Dropt the 24th Inſtant in the Morning, between the Bank and the Royal Exchange, a ſmall Pocket-Caſe, in which was one Note of Meſſ. Turner, Caſwall and Comp. for 300 l. dated the 23d Inſtant, N° 623. and ſome other Papers, of no Uſe. Whoever brings the Book and Papers to Mr. Maddy, at the Sword Blade Office, ſhall have 2 Guineas Reward, and no Queſtions ask'd, Payment being ſtopt.

To be Sold by AUCTION,
At Frank's Coffee-houſe in Mitre-Court in Fleetſtreet, To-morrow and Friday, the 29th and 30th Inſtant, a moſt Curious Collection of original Pictures by ſome of the moſt Eminent Maſters; being the Collection of a private Gentleman's that is going to Travel. The Pictures are now ready for View, and will continue ſo till the Time of Sale, which will begin each Day at Six a-Clock in the Afternoon preciſely, where Catalogues may be had.

To be ſold, great Penniworths, at the Sun, a Woollen-Draper's, over-againſt the Pump within Aldgate, London,

Broad Cloth of all Sorts, and the moſt faſhionable Colours, as alſo Greys, Blacks, Blues, Scarlets, &c. with choice of Drabs, being freſh Goods, late the Stock of Mr. John Slany deceaſed, and are obliged to be ſold in a little Time, the Shop being Lett.

To be Sold,

A new Houſe with all new freſh Furniture of all Sorts, or any part of it, as any Purchaſor ſhall want (the Lady being lately dead) the Houſe is in Southampton-Row at the end of King-ſtreet in Holbourn, where further Information may be had, or at the Sword-Blade Coffee-houſe in Birchin-lane.

The Gout abſolutely cured ſo as never to return again, by a pleaſant Specifick Secret to be taken in Drops only with a Glaſs of Wine, which perfectly takes off and infallibly cures the moſt racking Fit on the Spot, inſtantly takes away the moſt diſmal Torture, and eſtabliſhing in its ſtead perfect and almoſt miraculous Eaſe, and that without any Diſturbance to Nature, or the leaſt Danger of recalling the Morbifick Matter from the extream Parts to the Head, Stomach, Lungs, or Bowels; but on the contrary, effectually ſecures thoſe noble Parts from being attack'd by the Gout, and may be really depended upon not only certainly and immediately to take off the moſt excruciating Fit, but alſo aſſuredly to prevent its ever returning again, more effectually than the Peruvian Bark does Agues. It is ſold at the two Blue Poſts in Haydon Yard in the Minories, at 5 s. a Bottle, with Directions.

The incomparable Powder for cleaning the Teeth, which has given ſo great Satisfaction to moſt of the Nobility and Gentry in England, for above theſe 15 Years that it hath been publiſhed, notwithſtanding the many Counterfeits ſince its firſt Publication, (particularly one at the next Shop to Mr. Markham's, pray beware on't) endeavouring to imitate this the only true Original Powder. Sold only at Mr. Halſey's, Bookſeller, in St. Michael's-Church Porch in Cornhill; and Mr. Markham's, Toyſhop, at the Seven Stars under St. Dunſtan's-Church in Fleet-ſtreet, and no where elſe in England. It at once uſing makes the Teeth as white as Ivory, tho' never ſo black or yellow, and effectually preſerves them from rotting or decaying, continuing them ſound to exceeding old Age. It wonderfully cures the Scurvy in the Gums, prevents Rheum or Defluctions, kills Worms at the Roots of the Teeth, and thereby hinders the Tooth-ach. It admirably faſtens looſe Teeth, being a neat cleanly Medicine, of a pleaſant and grateful Scent. Price 1 s. the Box. N. B At the ſame Places is ſold the highly eſteem'd Lip-Salve for Ladies, &c. of a charming and delightful Scent. Price 1 s. each Box.

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